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Title: AMUSEMENT PARK  
WATER LOCK SYSTEM  
AND METHOD OF USE

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant submits herewith marked up versions of the amended claims 1, 25, and 75 as  
filed on July 30, 2001 in the above-referenced case.

1. (amended) A water lock system for conveying a person from a first body of water to a second  
body of water, the first and second bodies of water being at different elevational levels, the water  
lock system comprising:

a chamber for holding water, the chamber being coupled to the first body of water  
and the second body of water;

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